## The president of the Spanish Federation, Luis Rubiales and the president of the Deutcher Fussball-Bund, Fritz Keller, signed this memorandum of understanding today at La Cartuja stadium

The Royal Spanish Football Federation (RFEF) and the Deutscher Fussball-Bund will collaborate as of today in the development of football, exchanging knowledge and organizing friendly matches between Spain and Germany, as reflected in the agreement signed today by the president from the RFEF, Luis Rubiales, and his German counterpart, Fritz Keller.

On the scene La Cartuja stadium, in Seville, and in the run-up to the match between the Spanish team against the German in the framework of the UEFA Nations League, both leaders wanted to seal this memorandum of understanding, which will enrich the football panorama in both nations, and therefore the European one, bidirectionally over the next two years.

Thus, starting from the objective of promoting football as an instrument for international understanding, knowledge and experiences will be exchanged at the operational level, establishing an approach to the organization of competitions.

Likewise, corporate social responsibilities will be analyzed as well as the attraction of fans; the organization and functioning of the national teams will be studied; without leaving behind the area of human resources or training, among other matters.

Joint events will also be launched, including an annual assembly of technical bodies, as well as friendly matches between the men's and women's national teams, in different categories. In addition, special attention will be paid to the training of coaches, and the organization and administration of futsal; without forgetting the analysis and exchange of knowledge on technology and innovation in football, and strategic planning.

Ultimately, with this agreement reached between these two federations, progress will be made in the development of a vital sport for both world-class soccer powers nations.